

HOUSE No. 2099

By Ms. Khan of Newton, petition of Kay Khan and others relative to the maintenance of the toll discount program of the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Kay Khan	Alice Hanlon Peisch
David Paul Linsky	Deborah D. Blumer

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE MAINTENANCE OF THE TOLL DISCOUNT PROGRAM OF THE MASSACHUSETTS TURNPIKE AUTHORITY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 10 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by inserting after Section 63 the following section:—
3 Section 63A. There shall be established and set up on the books
4 of the commonwealth a separate fund to be known as the Metro-
5 politan Highway System Toll Mitigation Fund for the purpose of
6 maintaining the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority toll discount
7 program as established by the authority's board of directors on
8 June 28, 2002.

9 Notwithstanding any general or special law or contract to the
10 contrary, a portion of any sums owed to the commonwealth and
11 recovered pursuant to section 83 of chapter 4 of the Acts of 2003
12 shall be deposited in the fund. The portion to be credited to the
13 fund pursuant to this section shall be the amount required to fully
14 fund the toll discount program until such time as tolls shall be no
15 longer collected.

1 SECTION 2. Section 83 of Chapter 4 of the acts of 2003 is
2 hereby amended by striking out subsection (c).